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OF THE MILLS.

Towards Securing Competition in

Local Cotton Market

[Special to The State.]

Laurens, Sept. 15.-Three hun-

dred farmers and business men held

a mass meeting here today to discuss

and take action of advisable relative

to the cotton buying situation as it

exists here, there being only one buyer

n Laurens, this buyer representing

a local mill and two other mills. The

charge has been made that the mills

are in a combine and there is appre-

hension among the formers that they

would not get full prices, etc. Port

After a number of speeches had

been made a committee composed of

farmers and business men submitted

a resolution to the effect that the

Laurens mill be requested to put a

buyer on the square; that failing ex-

port buyers be invited to visit the

market every Thursday at bonded

warehouses. This was adopted with

amendment—if there he a combina

tion or pooling interest by cotton

mills with a view of controlling prices

investigate the matter, collect evi-

dence and report to the solicitor.

Three citizens compose the commit-

THE NEGRO RULED OUT.

Alabama's Republican State Convention De-

cline to Admit Any Colored Delegates.

fused the admittance of negro dele-

meets tomorrow. This action was

today between those of the new re

those not in favor of barring out the

it, although on the list of delegates

from more than one county there

were the names of negroes when the

credentials were given to the sub

tion to adopt the report as a whole

there came from several parts of the

house protests of vehement nature.

These protests kept coming in so

fast that at one time it looked as

though the resolution could not be

A Self-Made Man.

[Greenville (S. C.) News.]

the most serious obstacles. In Char-

grocery store during the day in order

to attend the law lectures at night.

This struggle he made within the

shadow of the Capitol building in

which now as a Representative from

South Carolina his voice will ever be

raised in behalf of his people. Few

young men have accomplished more

in the face of stern adversity than

George S. Legare. We predict for

him a brilliant career and a long

term of usefulness to South Carolina.

The premiums offered this year at

the State Fair have been greatly in

creased and competition will be sharp.

Be sure to get a premium list at once.

committee for action.

prices are being paid, however.

HEYWARD'S THANKS.

HE ISSUES A CARD TO THE DEMO-CRATIC VOTERS.

J. E. Norment Secretary-A Full List of the Memhership of the New Legislature showing Both New and Held Over Members.

Columbia, Sept. 15.—Governorelect Heyward has signified his intention of appointing as his private secretary J. E. Norment, of Darlington, who represented The State and News and Courier in the recent campaign meetings. Mr. Norment will accept. He is a young man of fine character and ability. At the conclusion of the campaign meetings he was presented with a handsome loving cup by the members of the campaiga party as a testimonial to his fairness and impartiality.

Mr. Heyward has issued the following card of thanks to the Democratic voters of the State:

It is with a sense of profound gratitude, mingled with an equal sense of the solemn responsibility involved, that I tender you my heartfelt thanks for your trust and confidence as has been evidenced by the votes given to me in the recent primary. From every county and town, from every precinct and hamlet, have I been remembered with trust and honor by my countrymen of our State. With appreciation far too deep for speech, and with thanks that come from my heart, I pledge you again by our sacred traditions and | berry; J. F. Banks, Sligh's. glorious history, by all that we hold dear, to do all in my power to prove worthy of this great gift-the confidence and trust of South Carolin-D. C. Heyward. nians. "Walterboro, Sept. 13, 1902."

Following is a list of the membership of the new legislature, showing both the new members and those who hold over:

THE SENATE.

The statement of results as to the senate given completely is as follows HOLD OVER

S. G. Mayfield, Bamberg; Robert Aldrich, Barnwell; Thomas Talbird, Beaufort; T. W. Stanland, Dorchester; G. W. Ragedale, Fairfield; Le-Grand Walker, Georgetown; A. H. Dean, Greenville; J. A. McDermott, Horry; O. P. Goodwin, Laurens; W. H. Sharpe, Lexington; Jas. Stackhouse, Marion; Geo. S. Mower, Newberry; E. L. Herndon, Oconee; T. F. Raysor, Orangeburg; B. L. Caughman, Saluda; D. E. Hydrick, Spartanburg; J. S. Brice, Yorkville.

Senator D. S. Henderson's term would not have expired for two years, but he resigned before entering the race for the United States senate. Senator Caughman's seat will be vacated by his election as railroad commissioner.

RE ELECTED.

The following were re-elected: J. T. Hay, Kershaw; W. C. Hough, Lancaster; J. Q. Marshall, Richland; John C. Sheppard, Edgefield; R. I. Manning, Sumter; J. H. Williams, Williamsburg; E. J. Dennis. Sr., Berkeley; Geo. W. Brown, Darlington; J. T. Douglas, Union. All except the last two named were reelected without opposition.

NEW SENATORS.

Three of the former senators were defeated, Gen. J. W. Moore, of Hampton, by T. F. Warren, R. C. Sarrati, of Cherokee, by T. B. Butler and Louis Appett, of Manning, by C. M. Davis.

The other new senators are Geo. F. Von Holnitz, Charleston; Jas. E. Penrifoy, Colleton; T. G. McLeod, Lee; J. W. Ragsdale, Florence; J. R. Blake, Abbeville; C. S. McCall, Marlboro; J. K. Hood, Anderson; P. L. Hardin, Chester; C. H. Carpenter, Pickens; Edward McIver, Chester field, and W. E. Johnson, Aiken.

The following is a statement of the new members of the house. It is given with postoffice addresses where possible:

RETURNED. Abbeville-M. P. DeBruhl, Abbe-

ville. Aiken-G. R. Webb, Langley. Anderson-G. A. Rankin, Equali-

Barnwell-J. O. Patterson, Barn-

Beaufort-C. J. Colcock, Ridge

Berkeley-E. J. Dennis, Jr., Mac-

Charleston-Huger Sinkler, W. T. Logan, R. S. Whaley, Charleston; R. M. Lofton, McClellanville; E. M. Seabrook, Edisto Island.

Chester-A. L. Gaston, Chester. Colleton-W. R. Fox, Osborn; J. W. Hill, Cottageville.

Darlington-W. E. James, Palmetto; S. R. Coggeshall, Darlington. Edgefield - T. L. Rainsford,

Florence-J. M. Humphrey, Car Fairfield-W. J. Johnson, Ridge-

Georgetown - M. W. Pyatt,

Georgetown. Greenville-B. A. Morgan and

Lewis Dorroh, Greenville; J. O. Wingo, Campobello.

Greenwood-J. H. Brooks, Cam-

Kershaw-M. J. Smith, Camden; G. Richards, Liberty Hill. Lancaster-T. Yancey Williams,

Laurens-R. A. Cooper, Laurens; R. W. Nichols, Tumbling Shoals. Lexington - John Bell Towill,

Batesburg; D. F. Efird, Lexington. Marion-J. E. Jarnegan, Toby; T. F. Stackhouse, Dillon. Newberry-Arthur Kibler, New-

Oconee-W. M. Brown, Oakway. Orangeburg - W. O. Tatum | the result has been officially declared. Copes; A. H. Moss, Orangeburg; Robt. Lide, Orangeburg.

Richland-John P. Thomas, Jr., and John McMaster, Columbia. Sumter-Altamont Moses and T.

B. Fraser, Sumter. Union-A. Cole Lyles, Carlisle;

H. C. Little, Kelton. Williamsburg - T. B. Gourdin, Greeleyville.

Yorkville-J. Rochelle Haile, Fort Mill; J. E. Beamguard, Clover. NEW MEMBERS.

Abbeville-M. G. Donald, Due West; J. D. Carwile, Antreville. Aiken-G. L. Toole, Aiken; R. J.

Wade, Montmorenci; J. W. Holmes. Anderson-J. B. Leaverett, Moscow; M. P. Tribble, Anderson; W. P. Wright, S. N. Pearman, Honea Path. Bamberg-Dr. J. B. Black and Spann Dowling, Bamberg.

Barnwell - W. Chester Smith, Williston; J. S. Walker. Beaufort-D. C. Glover, C. H.

Bailey. Berkeley-G. W. Davis, S. W.

Charleston-D. I. Baker, Jas. Herbert, P. B. Carey. Cherokee-W. J. Kirby, ---; W.

Judson Sarratt. Chester-John M. Wise, Halseville; T. C. Strong.

Chesterfield-G. K. Laney, Cheserfield; W. P. Pollock, Cheraw. Clarendon-J. H. Lesesne, Manning; John C. Lanham, Summerton;

Ralph S. DesChamps, Pinewood. Colleton-W. D. Bennett, Ruffin. Darlington-R. G. Parnell.

Dorchester - Cyrus Mims, St. George.

Edgefield—DeVore. Fairfield-C. T. Forde, G. W. Florence-W. B. Gause and J. W.

King, Florence. Georgetown-J. W. Doar, George-

Greenville - Wm. L. Mauldin, Greenville,, Geo. W. Richardson, Simpsonville.

P. B. Callison, Greenwood. Hampton-T. O. Middleton, J. P.

Harrelson, Conway.

Lancaster-O. W. Potts, Pleasant Valley. Laurens-W. C. Irby, Jr.

Lee-G. M. Stuckey and B. F. Kellew, Bishopville. Lexington-J. B. Wingard.

Marion.-J. C. Mace, Marion. Marlboro-D. D. McCall, Jr., Rev. Welcome Quick and J. P. Bunch, Bennettsville.

Newberry-E. H. Aull, Newberry. Oconee-Dr. E. C. Doyle, Seneca,

Orangeburg-D. E. Herbert and E. L. Culler, Orangeburg.

Pickens-Matthews Hendrix and J. A. Hinton.

Richland-L. W. Haskell, Columbia; J. M. Rawlinson, Eastover. Saluda-D. B. Peurifoy, Havirdsville, and J. W. Reedy.

Spartanburg-F. Clark Bates, K. D. Edwards, Jesse M. Mahaffey, Horace L. Bomar, Dr. S. T. D. Lan-

caster, I. H. Blackwood. Sumter-J. A. Clifton, Jr., Sum-

Williamsburg-W. L. Bass, Lake City; L. H. Wall York-P. D. Barron, Rock Hill: F. P. McCain, Yorkville.

A FEW WORDS FROM MR LATIMER. enator McLaurin's Successor Receiving

Hearty Congratulations from all

His Town Folk.

Anderson, September 11.-Senator A. C. Latimer-they have commenced calling him Senator Latimer now-spent yesterday in the city. He was kept busy during the day shaking hands with his friends and receiving their congratulations on the outcome of the election. The congratulations came with hearty sincerity from all classes and Mr. Latimer was naturally in a very jovial frame of mind.

He was seen by this correspondent in the afternoon and asked for an interview on the result of the election. 'Isn't it rather early for me to talk?" he asked in reply. "I expect it would be better for me to wait until

"However there seems to be no doubt as to my election and I will say just this: Of course I am gratified at the result of the election, and especially so under the circumstances. I went into the campaign absolutely without any organization throughout the State and made the race solely by appealing to the people on my platform and my record. I did not go into trades or combinations and was not the candidate of any class or faction. I made a clean, straight campaign, spent no more money than was absolutely necessary for legitimate expenses and have won the fight with just as clean hands as I started with. Of course I am gratified with the result more than I can

"In my opinion the election means, if it means anything, the condemnation by the people of the State of unfair and unwholesome campaign methods. It means that the people of the State will stand by a man who comes before them with a clean, clear record and uses open, fair methods in seeking office.

"I want to thank the people of Anderson County and of the old 3d district, and of the entire State, for the splendid vote they gave me and I hope I may prove worthy of their confidence. This, I believe, is all I care to say at present."

To the State Fair is due the great improvement of live stock in the State, and to further the improvement it is hoped an exhibition of im proved breeds of combination cattle will induce our people to breed for beef as well as milk and butter.

CLEMSON POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Burglars Dynamite the Safe and Steal Over \$260-No Clue to Guilty Persons

[News and Courier.]

Clemson College, Sept. 12.—The postoffice at Clemson College was broken into this morning about 2 Greenwood-D. H. Magill and o'clock and the safe blown open by burglars. One hundred and ten dollars in money and \$150 in stamps, a registered letter and two registered Horry-Jeremiah Smith and D. D. letter and two registered packages were stolen. A tin box in safe containing \$45 and \$25 left in an unlocked drawer were undisturbed. The burglars used dynamite and left on the premises a foot adz, a screw driver and a brace stock. There is no clue to the guilty persons. Miss Ida Calhoun, the postmistress, has notified the authorities.

Arrange your plans early to attend the 34th Annual State Fair at Columbia Oct. 28th to 31st.

ELIZABETH COLLEGE.

NEWBERRY, S. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1902.

A Newberrian Writes of this Noble Institution and the Beautiful City of Homes.

Mr. Editor: After our summer outing, spent amidst the lovely scenes and health-giving water of Eupeptic A North Carolina Town that is Trying a Sulphur Springs, North Carolina, we are resting in this beautiful city of homes, and it may interest some friends of Elizabeth College to learn of its present prospects and appointments for the well being of its student body. This fine institution of learning is situated out of the town proper, but reached by electric car line soon to be completed, and on a commanding emminence giving a beautiful view of Charlotte and surrounding country. This college is complete in its appointments for the smoke cigarettes upon the streets of health and comfort of its student body. The bed rooms are large and furnished with oak setts, iron beds two in a room, chairs, tables, etc., Mayor Wilson imposed the stipulated and are heated by steam and carpeted with art squares, bath rooms in plenty with toilet separate. The culinary department is most excellent in detail. Steel ranges line one side of the large kitchen and pipes convey all odors from the building, coal storage and an old fashioned brick bake oven for baking breads are added to this important part of domestic economy. The dining hall is in good taste, well lighted, furnished with China closets and seats at tables over one hundred. The laundry on first floor is well arranged and all modern ideas fully carried out in this department. But the crowning glory of Elizabeth College is her conservatory of music-a building especially set apart for the study of music. Here are twenty Stieff pianos, one in each studio, so each student has time and quiet for practice; also a studio for violin practice, and all that a lover of music seeks may here be found. A director of music who studied his art in the great cities of the old world, and a corps of as.

sistant teachers whose fame is heard outside the physical boundaries of several States. The chapel has a grand organ and two pianos, with seating capacity for a great number, and the opening day, 19th of September, will see this fine auditorium filled with girls from every section of our country, and we trust that it may be a continued success and are sure that the Lutherans of South Carolina will never forget their obligation to sustain this college for their girls as well as they have that of Newberry College for their boys. To its coarteous president, Dr. King, we are indebted for the pleasure of driving over to view its many attractions, and we trust that untiring devotion-zeal in the welfare of this institution and that of his student body will bring to him a full measure of success in

the near future as in the past. Charlotte is certainly a city of homes. Nowhere have we seen so many lovely homes, beautiful green lawns and well cultivated flower yards and magnificent trees. The grass here is so green and rich, the flowers so bright and shade so inviting that it rests the eyes and charms the senses of one accustomed to gaze on the grand Carnigie library dome and adjacent magnificent churches on Tryon street. The First Presbyterian church has a membership of six hundred and covers a whole block in its territory. The Lutherans have also a handsome church, while the Methodists are justly proud of their five churches, and the fact also that Bishop Coke Smith will live here and arrangements are now made for him. He will occupy a handsome home on East Avenue, and we feel certain be will be delighted with his new home and people here.

The educational advantages of Charlotte are not the least of her attractions, but count a great deal for her benefit. The graded schools here are immense, and over one thou sand students in one and seven or eight hundred in another. While the Presbyterian college is so vast in its proportions that we thought it a government building. And that reminds us of the finely appointed post delivery-mail delivered and taken loway, at Pomaria, S. C., for a Pre-

part of officials to any request made of them, which is appreciated by strangers especially. Carolina. Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 15, 1902.

DOWN ON CIGARETTES

Radical Measure

A special to the Charlotte Observer

"Elixabeth City, Sept. 9.-Editor Saunders, of the Elizabeth City Tar heel, was this morning arrested and thrown into prison for smoking a cigarette within the corporate limits of Elizabeth City. Recently the board of aldermen of this city passed an ordinance making it an offence, subject to a fine, for any minor to Elizabeth City. This morning Mr. W. O. Sanders violated that law, and was arrested. He plead guilty. fine. Young Saunders refused to pay the fine or give bond. He said: 'The law is unconstitutional and arbitrary for a free born American.' Saunders is in the lock up. He refuses all offers of many friends to go on his bond. The result of this unique case promises to be interest-

DEATH OF COLLECTOR WALLACE. le Died at His Home in Sumter After Two

Weeks Iliness. [News and Courier.] Columbia, S. C., September 11.-Col. R. M. Wallace, a prominent Republican and business man, died to night at Sumter, his home, after two weeks' illness. He was collector of customs at Charleston and formerly United States marshal. Col. Wallace was president of the First National Bank, of Sumter, the Sumter Cotton Mills, the Sumter Telephone Manufacturing Company and the Sumter Electric Power and Ice companies. He was also prominent in Masonic and Pythian orders. His father was once in Congress, and a brother, Capt. George Wallace, 7th cavalry, was killed at Wounded Knee. Col. Wallace was a Confederate sol-

A Constitutional Amendment.

[Columbia Special to New and Courier.

It will be interesting to note that

there will be one constitutional amendment to be voted upon at the next general election. In a word it is a proposition by which certain townships, which have issued township railroad bonds for railroads that have not been built, want to get out of the bonded indebtedness. The bonds were issued and got out of the hands of the authorities, but the railroads were not built, or have been abandoned. Now eight town ships ask to have a constitutional amendment passed, so that the corporate existence of the same is to be destroyed and all of the corporte agents are removed. In a word the townships are to be wiped out of existence so as to get out of the rail road bonded indebtedness. It ap pears to be an excessively dangerous method of getting out of a debt. The people in the townships no doubt have just reason to complain, as they did not get the roads, but on the other hand they seem to be bringing on themselves no end of trouble and and are resorting to a remedy which it is thought by many will not hold in the courts.

They Come Home to Roost

The old saying that "curses, like chickens, come home to roost" is true in his way. All bitter, malevo lent feelings toward others rebound upon ourselves, disfiguring the disposition, injuring the health and stamping ugly lines in the face When you find a person has wronged you, let him go. Drop him from your life as quickly and fully possi ble. Do not abuse him; it will hurt you worse than it will your enemy. Never treasure up a grievance; it grows with nursing.

If you have anything to exhibit at office and, splendid daily system of the State Fair send to Secretary Hol twice a day, and attention on the mium list. Do not delay to do so.

SPOKEN LIKE A MAN THE FARMERS ALLEGE A COMBINE

COL. W. J. TALBERT HAS SOLVED THE Meeting Held in Laurens to Take Action PROBLEM OF BEING GREAT IN DEFEAT.

> He Thanks His Supporters In the Recent Primary, But Has No Unkind Feelings For Those Who Opposed Him-Having Conducted His Campaign On a High Plane, He Has No Apolegies to Make.

Please allow me just a little space

in your columns for a short card. As it is practically impossible for me to write a personal letter to all my friends and supporters throughout the State, I adopt this method of thanking them for the handsome vote and loyal support given me in my recent race for Governor. I am indeed deeply grateful to them and appreciate my friends and supporters as much as a man possibly could. I have been defeated, but do not propose to be a sorehead and suik in my tent nor complain at the result of this election. The people have spoken and I accept the situation, and I am perfectly willing to abide by the result and support, heartily, the nominees of the party from Governor down. When my successof staple as alleged, that a committee | ful opponent, Captain Heyward, shall have taken his seat as Governor, I stand ready to hold up his hands in any effort he may make, or any enterprise he may undertake for the good of the people and of the State. My ardor for the welfare and best interests of old South Carolina and her people is not lessened one iota Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 15.—The by my defeat, and I desire to say to Republican executive committee re- those who saw fit to support my opponent that I do not feel in any gates to the State convention, which degree unkindly towards you at all and have no criticisms whatever to the result of several hours' struggle make. I tried to conduct my campaign fairly, squarely and upon a gime, known as the Lily Whites, and | high plane. I have tried to be open, frank and honest on all questions that came before us, and having The elimination of the negro was worked to this end, I have nothing to accomplished through the passage of retract and nothing to apologize for, a resolution adopting the report of and can't see but I would conduct it the sub-committee which was ap- just the same if I had it to do over pointed at the meeting of the full again. But there's no time to look committee on Saturday, and which backwards. The people of the State had considered all contests and have rendered their decision, and I passed upon all credentials presented | being a loyal and true Democrat, by delegates throughout the State. am willing to abide thereby, and When this report was read today not | will say in conclusion, let us stand a single negro's name appeared upon | behind Captain Heyward and help him to be one of the best Governors South Carolina has ever had, and be as one man in our efforts to make the old Palmetto State second to none

Immediately following a resolu- please copy. Very truly, W. J. Talbert. Parksville, S. C., Sept. 12, 1902. Snakes in the United States.

in the Union. Weekly papers will

[Chicago News.]

passed. However, the resolution was There are four kinds of venomous finally adopted by a vote of 17 to 10. serpents in the United States-the rattle snake proper, the copperhead and the moccasin, the coral snakes and the ground rattlesnake. The former is undoubtedly the cause of To the Hon. George S. Legare, more deaths from snake poisoning who will represent the 1st district in than any other in the United States. the 58th Congress, we extend con-This is due to its large size—it grows gratulations and our best wishes for not infrequently to seven feet in a successful and useful career in Conlength and three inches in diamgress. Mr. Legare is a self-made eter-and to the great length of its man. Endowed by nature with that fangs and the copious amount of gift of oratory which has made the venom it injects into wounds. Probname of Legare famous in the judiably not more than 50 persons die of cial annals of South Carolina, he felt snake bite in the United States in the power within him even as a boy any year. Perhaps 30,000 would and determined to develop it, despite be a fair estimate of the world's annual death rate from the bite of ve leston he cheerfully worked in an nomous snakes, notwithstanding the humble occupation to acquire the long and practically fruitless efmeans for his general education at a forts of science to discover an antilaw school in Washington, he actually shovelled snow and worked in a dote.

A Mistake Thar Some Girls Make.

Some girls who desire to become social favorites make the mistake of cultivating the good graces of men and ignoring their own sex. Such a gir, has not learned relative social values The man will not like her any better for neglecting a girl friend and devoting herself to him. It is the married woman and the girl comrades who can give a good-or a had-time in the end. Men flatter men's women, but they accord their respect and real liking to the girls who are popular with their own sex.

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